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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC
SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY
DOCKET NO.

In the Matter of)
FREDERICK BAKER, D.D.S.)
Licensed to Practice Dentistry)
in the State of New Jersey)

Administrative Action
CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board") on the basis of allegations received that commencing in or about October 1992, respondent knowingly committed acts of sexual contact with J.F., an employee in his dental office, when J.F. was at least 16 but less than 18 years old and respondent had supervisory or disciplinary power over J.F. The aforementioned conduct constitutes a failure to maintain good moral character, an ongoing requirement for continued licensure pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:6-3 and professional misconduct within the meaning of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e).

It appearing that the respondent desires to resolve this matter without resort to formal proceedings, and without any admissions or findings of wrongdoing; and that good cause exists for the entry of the within Order,

IT IS ON THIS (LDAY OF LLY, 1996, HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

- license of the respondent to practice dentistry in the State of New Jersey shall be and is hereby suspended for a period of two (2) years. Sixty (60) days of this suspension shall be active and shall commence thirty (30) days after the entry date of the within Order. The remaining period of suspension shall be stayed and constitute a probationary period. The respondent shall derive no financial remuneration directly or indirectly related to patient fees paid for dental services rendered during the period of active suspension by other licensees for patients of respondent's practice. Respondent shall not be permitted to enter upon the premises of the dental facility during the period of active suspension or provide any consultation to other licensees rendering treatment to patients of the respondent or sign or submit insurance claim forms for treatment rendered during the period of active suspension or render other administrative or supervisory duties.
- 2. Respondent shall perform two hundred fifty (250) hours of dental community service at a facility to be approved by the Board. In the event respondent does not submit to the Board within forty-five (45) days of the entry date of this Order the name of a facility which has agreed to permit respondent to perform dental community service in accordance with the terms of this Order and which is approved by the Board, the Board shall designate the facility. Said community service shall be completed

- A). In the event said evaluation provides recommendations, respondent shall advise the Board of the steps he has taken to comply with those recommendations. Further, the Board may in its discretion require the respondent to submit to a psychological/psychiatric evaluation with a Board appointed consultant. If so required, respondent shall be responsible for the costs involved for the evaluation and written report of the consultant.
- 6. Respondent understands that the allegations herein involve serious issues as to his fitness to practice dentistry in this State, and that while no findings thereon have been made in the resolution of the matter under this Consent Order, in the event that any subsequent allegations of a similar nature are brought to the Board's attention, respondent shall be subject to discipline, including the suspension or revocation of his license.

SAMUEL FURMAN, D.D.S.

PRESIDENT

STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

I have read and understand the within Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

EREDERICK BAKER DDG